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DEPT DOES NOT WISH TO AUTHORIZE WAIVERS FOR GDR COMMERCIAL
OFFICIAL, FRITZ KOCH, TO ATTEND INTERNATIONAL MACHINERY
AND KNITTING ARTS EXHIBITION IN ATLANTIC CITY. DECISION
BASED ON OUR DESIRE TO AVOID ANY IMPLICATION THAT
COMPETENCE OF GDR COMMERCIAL OFFICE IN MEXICO EXTENDS INTO
US. KOCH' S ATTENDANCE WOULD ALSO SEEM UNNECESSARY GIVEN
FACT THAT NINE EAST GERMANS REPRESENTING APPROPRIATE
EXPORT AND MANUFACTURING ENTERPRISES ARE SCHEDULED TO
PARTICIPATE AT ATLANTIC CITY. LATTER INVITED BY US
BUSINESS INTERESTS AND HAVE PRIVATE RATHER THAN GOVERN-
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